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In re Patent Application of: Hyung Gun PARK, et al.

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SEARCHER BEAMFORMING IN CDMA BASE

STATION SYSTEM USING ARRAY ANTENNA.

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

March 11, 2002

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please add new drawings of Figs. 3A and 3B separately attached herewith.

REMARKS

Due to an inadvertent error, Figs. 3A and 3B were not initially included in the above-captioned application at the stage of filing. However, Applicant submits that these drawings are fully supported by and described in the specification, page 11, lines 4-9, as originally filed. No new matter is introduced by this Preliminary Amendment.

The foregoing Preliminary Amendment is requested.

Early action on the merits is respectfully requested.